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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> (Small Entity)				Docket No. <b>THERMO.1013</b>	
In Re Application Of: <b>ABBOTT, et al.</b>					
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Application No. <b>10/743,677</b>	Filing Date <b>12/22/03</b>	Examiner <b>Heckenberg, Jr.</b>	Customer No. <b>26812</b>	Group Art Unit <b>1722</b>	Confirmation No. <b>7799</b>
Invention: <b>SHAPED HEATERS AND USES THEREOF</b>					
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>  This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>March 9, 2005</u> in the above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">Date</div> The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"><div>from: <u>June 9, 2005</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.7em;">Date</div></div><div>until: <u>July 9, 2005</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.7em;">Date</div></div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27</div> The fee for the extension of time is <b>\$60</b> and is to be paid as follows: <div style="margin-top: 5px;"><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <b>08-1391</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <b>08-1391</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</div><div style="margin-top: 10px;"><b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b></div></div>					
<div style="text-align: center;"> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">Signature</div></div> <div style="margin-top: 5px;"><b>Peter A. Nieves, Reg. No. 48,173</b> <b>Hayes Soloway PC</b> <b>175 Canal Street</b> <b>Manchester, NH 03101</b></div>			<div style="text-align: right; margin-bottom: 10px;">Dated: <b>July 11, 2005</b></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"><div style="font-size: 0.8em;">I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on</div><div style="text-align: center;">July 11, 2005 <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.7em;">(Date)</div></div><div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div></div><div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 5px;"><b>Johanne Hrycuna</b> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div></div></div>		

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